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Docket No. : 038819.52783US
Customer No. : 23911

Title : Autonomous Vehicle Guidance On or Near Airports

**REQUEST FOR ACKNOWLEDGEMENT OF RECEIPT OF CERTIFIED
PRIORITY DOCUMENTS**

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Sir:

Applicant received a Notice of Allowance dated July 28, 2005 with no indication that the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office received the certified copies of the priority documents. However, as noted on the attached copy of the Claim for Priority, which bears the Office's date-stamp indicating its date of receipt, Applicant did properly submit certified copies of the priority documents on February 10, 2004. Complete copies of the priority documents can be found in the Office's image file wrapper. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Examiner acknowledge receipt of the priority documents in a Supplemental Notice of Allowability.

If there are any questions regarding this request, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated.

Respectfully submitted,

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February 10, 2004

Sir:

The benefit of the filing date of prior foreign application No. 0222692.6, filed in Great Britain on 1 October 2002 and No. 0228348.9 filed in Great Britain on 5 December 2002, is hereby requested and the right of priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 is hereby claimed.

In support of this claim, filed herewith is a certified copy of the original foreign application.

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